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10 IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
11 FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA
12 SAN FRANCISCO DIVISION

13 **LAMONT STERLING JOHNSON,**

14 Petitioner,

15 v.

16 **ROBERT HOREL, Warden,**

17 Respondent.

C 07-4483 PJH (PR)

**APPLICATION FOR EXTENSION
OF TIME TO FILE ANSWER TO
PETITION FOR WRIT OF
HABEAS CORPUS**

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19 Pursuant to Civil L.R. 6-1(b), respondent requests a 60-day extension of time, to and
20 including November 25, 2008, in which to file the answer to petition for writ of habeas corpus
21 pursuant to this Court's order to show cause filed May 29, 2007. The application is based on the
22 file in this case and the attached declaration of Sharon G. Birenbaum.

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1 WHEREFORE, respondent respectfully requests that this Court grant an extension
2 of time, to and including November 25, 2008, in which to file the answer.

3 Dated: September 15, 2008

4 Respectfully submitted,

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